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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Mark McAuliffe et al.	Examiner:	Joy Patel
Serial No.:	10/813,496	Group Art Unit:	3766
Filed:	March 30, 2004	Docket No:	279.737US1
Title	ELECTRODE AND INSULATION ASSEMBLY FOR A LEAD AND METHOD THEREFOR		

**PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

MS: AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed November 14, 2005, said period of response being extended from February 14, 2006 to March 14, 2006.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

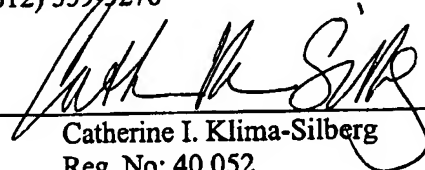
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